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MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTOR, DEFENSE FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING SERVICE

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DIRECTOR, DFAS CENTER FOR OPERATING FORCES -

INDIANAPOLIS

DIRECTOR, DEFENSE FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING SERVICE

KANSAS CITY CENTER

SUBJECT:

Change to DoDFMR, Volume 7A (Vol 7A), Chapter 35, regarding selling back leave in

conjunction with a reenlistment (DFAS item number I-89)

This is DFAS Interim Change 15-00 modifying Chapter 35 of the DoDFMR, Vol 7A to eliminate the limitation that a member may sell back leave in conjunction with a reenlistment or an extension of enlistment within three months of the expiration of their current enlistment.

The purpose of the change is to clarify the authority to pay members Lump Sum Leave in conjunction with a reenlistment/extension of enlistment without regard to when the current enlistment expires. The effective date of this change is October 5, 1999. The law governing this change is Public Law 106-65, section 671.

We have evaluated your comments on the draft proposal of this change to the DoDFMR, Vol 7A.

The attached final version of the change incorporates your comments where appropriate.

Assignment of an interim change number is your authority to start a procedural modification to facilitate this change. For the Denver Center, use the attached to initiate the formal printed change to the DoDFMR and the interim change message.

Director of Finance

Attachment: As stated

cc:

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DASD (MPP) (Comp)

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- 1. Make the following changes to Table 35-3:
- a. Renumber rules "1 through 10" as "2 through 11", and insert the following new rule 1 as follows:

Rule	<u>Column B</u>	Column D
1	on or after October 5, 1999, is discharged for	payable
	the specific purpose of enlisting or reenlisting	
	(note 7)	

- b. In Rules 2 and 3 (as renumbered above), Column B, add the words "prior to October 5, 1999," at the beginning of each entry.
 - c. In Rule 4 (as renumbered above), Column B, delete the words "enlisting or".
- d. Add a new Note 7 to read as follows: "For these purposes, the term "discharge" means separation or release from active duty under honorable conditions, or termination of an enlistment in conjunction with the commencement of a successive enlistment (without regard to the date of the expiration of the term of the enlistment being terminated)."
- 2. Make the following changes to Table 35-4:
 - a. Add a new Rule 7 to read as follows:

<u>Rule</u>	<u>Column B</u>	<u>Column D</u>
7	on or after October 5, 1999, extension is	payable.
	canceled after service under it begins and	
	member is discharged under honorable	
	conditions, for purpose of reenlisting	

- b. In Rules 5 and 6, Column B, add the words "prior to October 5, 1999," at the beginning of each entry.
- 3. Add the following new citation to the bibliography:

Table 35-3	Public Law 106-65
Rule 1	Section 671
	Oct 5, 1999
Table 35-4	Public Law 106-65
Rule 7	Section 671
	Oct 5, 1999

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	to Volume 7A

4. Renumber the citations to Table 35-3, rules 1 and 7 of the bibliography to rules 2 and 8, respectively.